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TO:

From: Lynn Kunzler, Environmental Scientist

RE: <u>Determination of Permit Amendment/Revision Status, Rockwell Construction</u> Products, Pelican Point Quarry, M/049/011, Utah County, Utah

As per R647-4-119, the Division has made a determination as to whether the proposed modification to Rockwell Construction Products, Pelican Point Quarry is an amendment (non significant change) or a revision (significant change). Using the criteria listed below, it has been determined that the amended notice submitted by Rockwell Construction Products received February 17, 2006 is **not** a significant change, and thus will be processed as an amendment. The criteria listed below was used to made this determination. For the project to be considered a revision, at least 3 of the 4 listed criteria must be met.

1. Will the proposed acreage increase by more than 50% or 50 acres (whichever is smaller)?

The proposed changes will nearly double the size of the disturbed area.

2. Will the surety increase by the lesser amount of 25% of the existing surety, or \$50,000?

It is anticipated that the proposed changes will increase the surety requirement by the lesser amount of 25% of the existing surety, or \$50,000.

3. Will the overall environmental impacts of the proposed changes be considered significant?

No. While the footprint will increase significantly, the new areas have been disturbed historically, it is unlikely that there will be additional environmental impacts.

4. Are the proposed impacts significant as to warrant the need for the opportunity for public comment.

No. The proposed changes are a simple expansion, not a significant change of the plan that the public has already had opportunity to comment on.

Since only 2 of the 4 criteria are met, the Division considers the proposed changes to be an amendment to the approved Notice of Intention.